

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

Claim 1 (Currently Amended):        A system comprising:

a key generating section, the key generating section to generate a plurality of individual keys based on a main key, each of said plurality of individual keys is different from one another, each of said plurality of individual keys is customized for a specific user;

a decryption generating section coupled to the key generating section and a main decryption section, the decryption generating section to generate a plurality of individual decryption ~~processes~~ applications based on the main decryption section and the plurality of individual keys, each of said plurality of individual decryption ~~processes~~ applications is distributed to a corresponding user, each of said plurality of individual decryption ~~processes~~ applications is different from one another and each different individual decryption ~~process~~ application operates to actually decrypt an encrypted content differently from one another, the main decryption section using the main key to actually decrypt content;

an encryption generating section coupled to the key generating section and a main encryption section, the encryption generating section operates to generate a plurality of individual encryption ~~processes~~ applications based on the main encryption section and the plurality of individual keys, each of said plurality of individual encryption ~~processes~~ applications is distributed to a corresponding user, each of said plurality of individual encryption ~~processes~~ applications is different from one another and each different individual encryption ~~process~~ application operates to actually encrypt a content differently from one another; the main encryption section using the main key to actually encrypt content;

wherein only a one of the plurality of individual keys is used in conjunction with only a one of the plurality of decryption ~~processes~~ applications, and each of the plurality of decryption ~~processes~~ applications and its respective individual key can actually decrypt content encrypted by the main encryption section, and a one of the plurality of encryption ~~processes~~ applications can actually encrypt content to be actually decrypted by the main decryption section and the main key.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The system of claim 1, wherein each of the plurality of individual decryption and encryption ~~processes~~applications each use a selected one of the plurality of individual keys.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The system of claim 2, wherein each of the plurality of individual decryption ~~processes~~applications actually operates to decrypt the content from cypher-content by using a selected one of the plurality of individual keys.

Claims 4-6 (Canceled)

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): A method comprising:  
generating a plurality of individual keys based on a main key, each of said plurality of individual keys being different from one another, each of said plurality of individual keys is customized for a specific user;

generating a plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~processes based on a main decryption process and the plurality of individual keys, each of said plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~processes being different from one another and each different individual decryption ~~application~~process operates to actually decrypt an encrypted content differently from one another, each of said plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~processes is distributed to a corresponding user;

generating a plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~processes based on a main encryption ~~application~~process and the plurality of individual keys, each of said plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~processes being different from one another and each different individual encryption ~~application~~process operates to actually encrypt content differently from one another, each of said plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~processes is distributed to a corresponding user;

actually encrypting content based on the main encryption ~~application~~process and the main key;

actually decrypting content based on the main decryption ~~application~~process and the main key,

wherein only a one of the plurality of individual keys is used in conjunction with only a one of the plurality of decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~, and each of the plurality of decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ and its respective individual key can actually decrypt content actually encrypted by the main encryption ~~application~~~~process~~, and only the one of the plurality of individual keys is used in conjunction with only a one of the plurality of encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~, and each of the plurality of encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ and its respective individual key can actually encrypt content.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended):        The method of claim 7, further comprising:  
distributing the plurality of individual keys to a plurality of customers;  
distributing the plurality of individual decryption and encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ to  
the plurality of customers; and  
distributing cypher-content to the plurality of customers.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended):        The method of claim 8, wherein each of the  
plurality of individual decryption and encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ to each use a selected one  
of the plurality of individual keys.

Claim 10 (Original):    The method of claim 9, the encrypting to generate a cypher-content  
from the content.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended):        The method of claim 10, wherein each of the  
plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ actually decrypt the content from the  
cypher-content by using a selected one of the plurality of individual keys.

Claims 12-16 (Canceled)

Claim 17 (Currently Amended): A program storage device readable by a machine comprising instructions that cause the machine to:

generate a plurality of individual keys based on a main key, each of said plurality of individual keys being different from one another, each of said plurality of individual keys is customized for a specific user;

generate a plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ based on a main decryption ~~application~~~~process~~ and the plurality of individual keys, each of said plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ being different from one another and each different individual decryption ~~application~~~~process~~ operates to actually decrypt an actually encrypted content differently from one another, each of said plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ is distributed to a corresponding user;

generate a plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ based on a main encryption ~~applications~~~~process~~ and the plurality of individual keys, each of said plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ being different from one another and each different individual encryption ~~application~~~~process~~ operates to actually encrypt content differently from one another, each of said plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ is distributed to a corresponding user;

actually encrypt content based on the main encryption ~~applications~~~~process~~ and the main key;

actually decrypt content based on the main decryption ~~application~~~~process~~ and the main key,

wherein only a one of the plurality of individual keys is used in conjunction with only a one of the plurality of decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~, and each of the plurality of decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ and its respective individual key can actually decrypt content actually encrypted by the main encryption ~~application~~~~process~~, and only the one of the plurality of individual keys is used in conjunction with only a one of the plurality of encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~, and each of the plurality of encryption processes and its respective individual key can actually encrypt content to be actually decrypted by the main decryption ~~application~~~~process~~.

Claim 18 (Currently Amended): The program storage device of claim 17, wherein the plurality of individual decryption and encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ to each use one of the plurality of individual keys.

Claim 19 (Original): The program storage device of claim 18, the encrypting to generate a cypher-content from the content.

Claim 20 (Currently Amended): The program storage device of claim 19, wherein each of the plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ actually decrypt the content from the cypher-content by using a selected one of the plurality of individual keys.

Claim 21 (Currently Amended): A program storage device readable by a machine comprising instructions that cause the machine to:

distribute a plurality of individual keys to a plurality of customers, each of said plurality of individual keys being different from one another and each individual key is customized for a specific user;

distribute a plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ to the plurality of customers, each of said plurality of individual decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ being different from one another, and each different individual decryption ~~application~~~~process~~ operates to actually decrypt an actually encrypted content differently from one another, and each individual decryption ~~application~~~~process~~ is customized for a specific user;

distribute a plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ to the plurality of customers, each of said plurality of individual encryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ being different from one another, and each different individual encryption ~~application~~~~process~~ operates to actually encrypt content differently from one another, and each individual encryption ~~application~~~~process~~ is customized for a specific user;

distribute cypher-content to the plurality of customers, wherein only a one of the plurality of individual keys is used in conjunction with only a one of the plurality of decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~, and each of the plurality of decryption ~~applications~~~~processes~~ and its respective individual key can actually decrypt cypher-content

actually encrypted by a main encryption application~~process~~, and only the one of the plurality of individual keys is used in conjunction with only a one of the plurality of encryption applications~~processes~~, and each of the plurality of encryption applications~~processes~~ and its respective individual key can actually encrypt content to be actually decrypted by a main decryption application~~process~~.

Claim 22-30 (Canceled)